



2002 Census of Agriculture Congressional District Profile

District 7, Georgia

Number of farms: 1,211

Land in farms: 89,612 acres

Average size of farm: 74 acres

Irrigated Land: 2,386 acres

Total Number of Farm Operators: 1,766

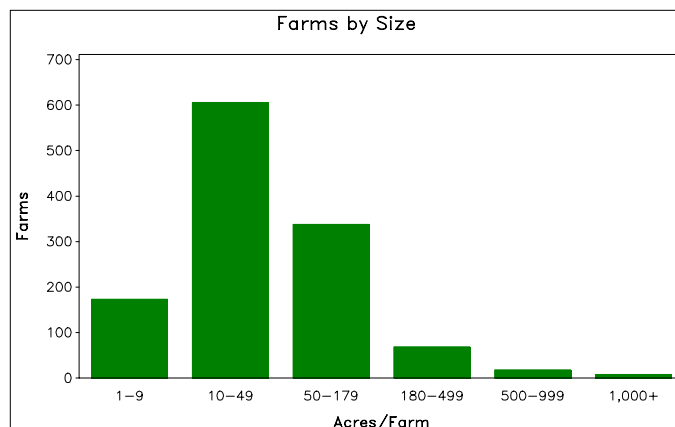
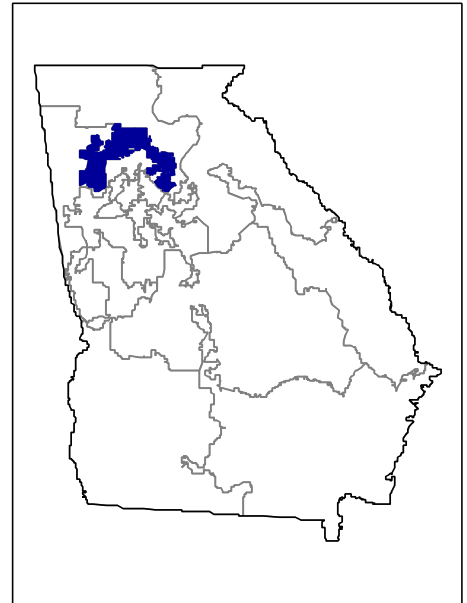
Market Value of Production: \$87,424,000

Market Value of Production, average per farm: \$72,191

Government Payments: \$367,000

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments: \$1,724

Gross Income from Farm Related Sources: \$2,424,000



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United States Department of Agriculture, Georgia Agricultural Statistics Service**

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Ranked items among the 13 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2002

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	87,424	9	13	262	418
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) ²					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	550	9	10	288	371
Tobacco	-	-	6	-	106
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	(D)	11	(D)	111
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	126	10	12	364	398
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	54	10	11	364	403
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	17,625	8	12	223	415
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	22	11	12	307	349
Poultry and eggs	62,230	8	12	83	382
Cattle and calves	4,803	9	12	256	389
Milk and other dairy products from cows	443	9	11	308	339
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	10	(D)	372
Sheep, goats, and their products	20	10	11	324	380
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	604	10	12	269	398
Aquaculture	-	-	10	-	321
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	5,899,141	8	11	51	354
Layers 20 weeks old and older	(D)	9	11	(D)	387
Cattle and calves	18,637	9	12	261	394
Horses and ponies	3,041	9	13	258	408
All Goats	706	10	12	276	387
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	9,344	10	13	275	391
All Cotton	(D)	8	11	(D)	113
Corn for grain	1,407	8	11	256	327
Sod harvested	1,190	5	9	96	291
Soybeans	980	8	9	214	269

Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	473
\$1,000 to \$2,499	207
\$2,500 to \$4,999	141
\$5,000 to \$9,999	134
\$10,000 to \$19,999	61
\$20,000 to \$24,999	22
\$25,000 to \$39,999	23
\$40,000 to \$49,999	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7
\$100,000 to \$249,999	25
\$250,000 to \$499,999	70
\$500,000 or more	40
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	56,071
Average per farm (\$)	138,446
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	17,283
Average per farm (\$)	13,274

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	619
Other	592
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	976
Female	235
Average age of principal operator (years)	56.0
All operators ³ by race:	
White	1,716
Black or African American	6
American Indian or Alaska Native	5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
Asian	2
More than one race	-
All operators ³ of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	15

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item.

² Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

³ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.